WORLD METALS, INC.

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Mr. Tom Alcamo
U.S. EPA, Region 5
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Dear Mr. Alcamo,

To confirm my phone conversation with you today regarding Master Metals, Inc. I have checked our accounting records, and our Purchasing records. We have never done business with this company. We have no waste that would produce lead, and when we need a new battery we trade the old one in at the auto parts store.

I have heard that there is a World Metals in Cleveland, but we are in Akron, Ohio.

Best regards,

E.W. Glause III

President